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Mrs. Jack Beth St.

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you darling. In always so proud of my little honey. Thought I might as well write on both sides of this paper as its so think. Darling I love you so very very much. your my first thought in the morning, and my last thought at nite, and then I dream of you. I'm just existing tile that happy day when this separation is first a memory, and we can begin to enjoy our good way of life again. The past was so wonderful darling, and the future will be even better if that is possible. I love every thing about you baby Finh. your beautiful eyes, and your sweet tender lips. I love the way you smile at me, and the way you get dressed and undressed. I love the sound of your voice, and your laughter. youre such a dear sweet precious darling, and I'm the luckiest fellow in the whole wide world to have you for my own darling wife. How your going to be loved sweetheart. Just remind me to take it easy on your ribs darling cause In going to hold you so close Ill almost be behind you. Honey, do you remember when we were

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WOULD A CAR ROLL

up or down on this optical downgrade on the Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina? You guessed it. The car shown would coast backward, apparently uphill, for the road actually slopes down toward the camera. Optical illusions are frequent in mountains. where there are few horizontal bases.



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[[image- newspaper clipping of a car on mountain road. December 1945]]